

In the Specification:

Please enter the substitute specification included in the previous amendment (mailed June 16, 2000, apparently received June 20, 2000) and enter the various amendatory language of said previous amendment. No new matter has been added.

Please further amend the substitute specification as follows:

Page 9, delete lines 13-16 and substitute therefor:

D1 --Further objects and advantages of the invention will become apparent from the following description and claims, and from the accompanying drawings, wherein:--

In the Abstract of the Invention

Penultimate line, please delete "of the present invention".

In the Claims:

Please amend Claims 25 and 27 as follows:

D2 SUB E1  
25. (amended) A method of manufacturing a reclosable bag having top and bottom ends and opposing front and rear walls and a flexible interlocking fastener assembly, said method